IN THE CLAIMS

CLEAN VERSION OF AMENDED CLAIMS

The following is the clean version of the amended claims:

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- 1 1. (Amended) An apparatus comprising:
- 2 a first device to transmit a plurality of data
- 3 signals in parallel mode; and
- 4 a second device coupled to receive the plurality of
- 5 data signals from the first device,
- 6 wherein the second device detects phase information
- 7 of each data signal against a corresponding clock signal
- 8 and feeds back the phase information to the first device,
- 9 the first device adjusts an output delay of each data
- 10 signal based on the phase information fed back from the
- 11 second device.
- 1 9. (Amended) The apparatus of claim 8 wherein the first
- 2 device, in response to receiving the parallel data sample
- 3 from the second device, compares the parallel data sample
- 4 to a programmed parallel data pattern.

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is filed prior to initial review of the above-identified Application. Applicant respectfully requests examination of all pending claims.